IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE WESTERN DIVISION

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| CLEOPHUS TRIBBLE, |) | CLERX, U.S. CS PICT COURT W/D CT A COURT |
| Plaintiff, | <u>,</u> | * |
| v. |) | |
| MEMPHIS CITY SCHOOLS, |) | No. 02-2949 M1/V |
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| Defendant. |) | |
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ORDER DENYING PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO FILE DEPOSITIONS

Before the Court is Plaintiff's Motion and Memorandum to File Depositions, filed on November 1, 2005. Defendant responded in opposition on November 14, 2005.

Plaintiff filed a notice of appeal in this case on July 22, 2005. (Docket No. 56.) "[A] district court no longer has jurisdiction over an action as soon as a party files a notice of appeal, and at that point the appellate court assumes jurisdiction over the matter." Pitcock v. Otis Elevator Co., 8 F.3d 325, 327 (6th Cir. 1993) (citing Lewis v. Alexander, 987 F.2d 392, 394 (6th Cir. 1993)). None of the exceptions to this rule applies. Accordingly, the Court no longer has jurisdiction over this matter, and Plaintiff's motion is DENIED.

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So ORDERED this 16 day of November, 2005.

JON P. McCALLA

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE



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